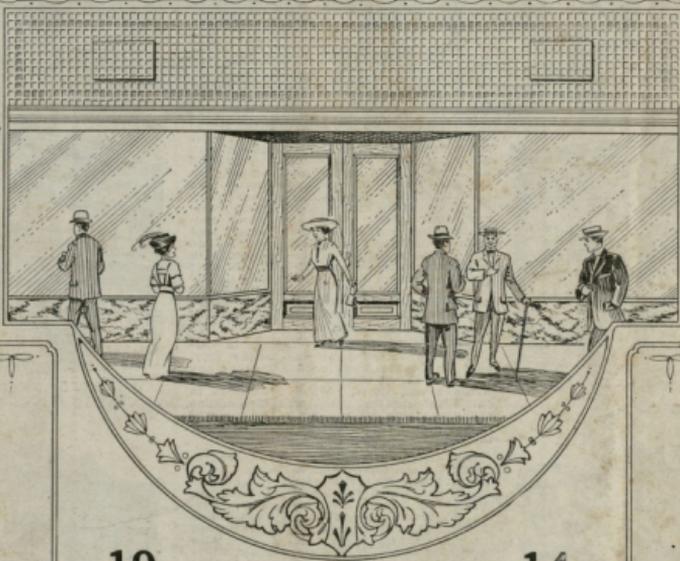


STORE FRONTS



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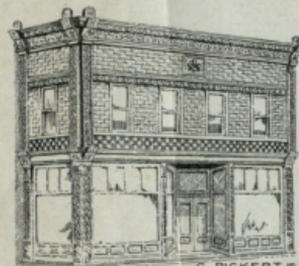
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The designs on Pages 2 and 3 are for concrete block fronts, and on Pages 4 to 11 inclusive are for brick fronts. For these fronts we furnish the heavy iron columns, sills and girders, in lower story for supporting the front concrete or brick wall, and galvanized iron cornices and window caps for trimming the upper part of front; also furnishing the show windows, sashes, doors and glass. Catalogue price does not include mill work or glass.

The designs on Pages 12 to 21 inclusive are galvanized sheet metal fronts. These fronts we furnish complete as shown. A galvanized iron front is intended to go over a wood frame work, usually made of 2x4 studding, no brick work being required in the construction of these fronts.

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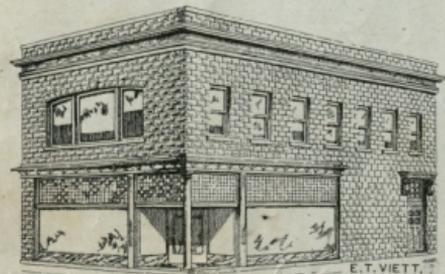
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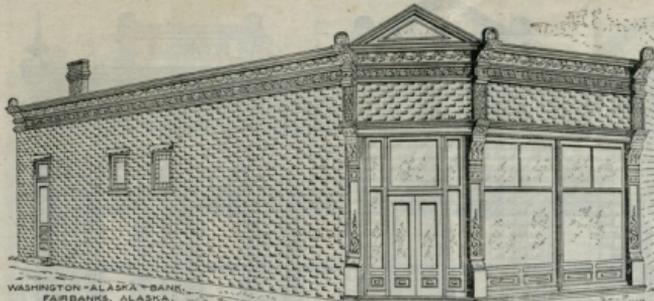
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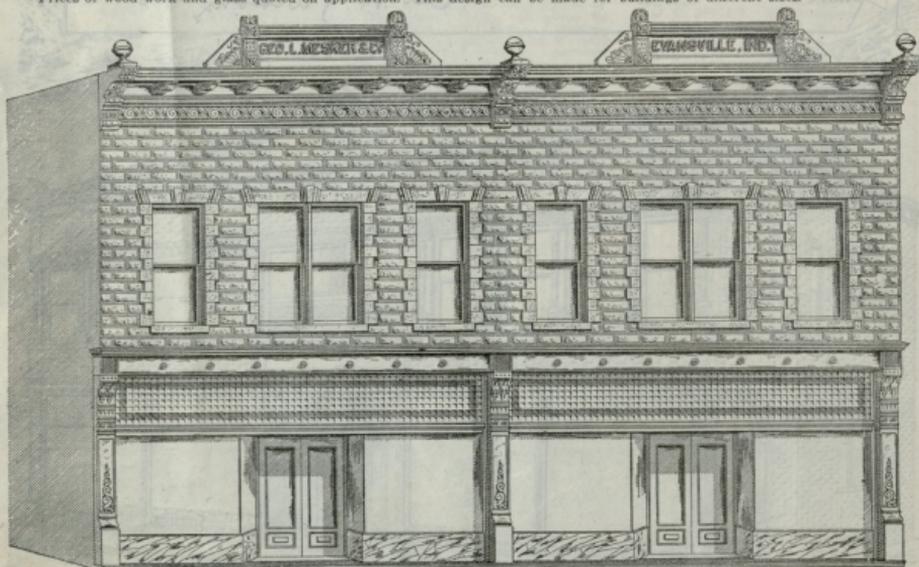
OUR UNPRECEDENTED VALUES AND MODERN DESIGNS HAVE CREATED A DEMAND IN ALASKA. WE ISSUE A 56-PAGE BOOK OF TESTIMONIAL LETTERS. SEND FOR IT.



No. 9200

A modern concrete block front, suitable for a wide store room with one entrance. Price of cast iron sills, steel girders and columns in first story, to support concrete block wall, and galvanized iron main cornice pediment to trim and finish the wall, for a 35-ft. front, \$435.65; 40-ft. front, \$469.05.

Prices of wood work and glass quoted on application. This design can be made for buildings of different sizes.

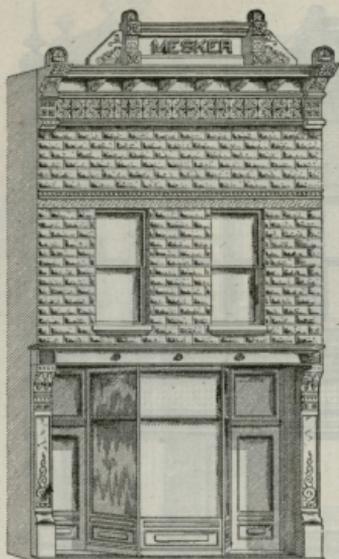


No. 9201

A popular design for a concrete block, lodge or office building, with store rooms below. Price of cast iron sills, columns and steel girders, for supporting the concrete block wall, and galvanized iron main cornice, beam moulding and pediment for a 45-ft. front, \$532.00; 50-ft. front, \$578.00; 55-ft. front, \$615.00. Prices of wood work and glass quoted on application.

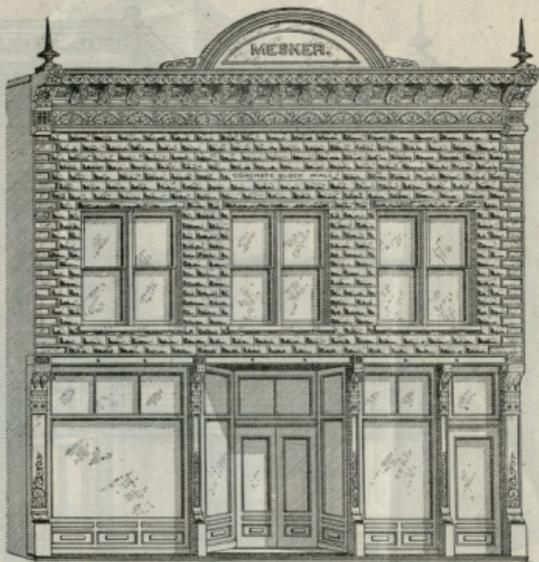
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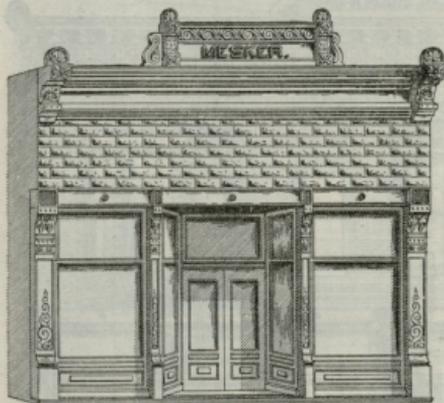
This design is for a narrow store front with entrance to second floor from front. Price of cast iron sills, columns, steel girder, galvanized iron main cornice and pediment for an 18-ft. front, \$251.10; 20-ft. front, \$265.90. Price of wood work and glass quoted on application.



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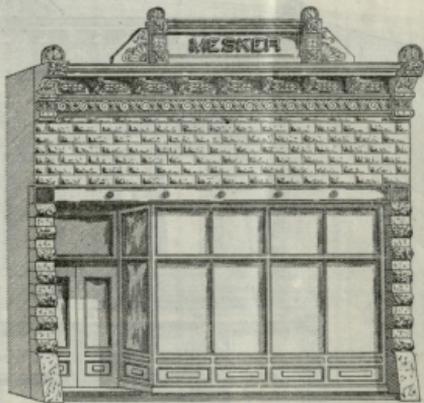
A popular design for a concrete block front, with stairway entrance to second floor. We furnish the cast iron sills, columns, steel girders, galvanized iron main cornice, window caps, and pediment. Price for iron work as shown for 28-32. front, \$398.50; 30-ft. front, \$411.50; 32-ft. front, \$434.10.

This design can be made for buildings of different sizes.



No. 9204

An up-to-date one-story front. Price of cast iron sills, columns, steel girder, galvanized iron main cornice and pediment for 20-ft. front, \$232.20; 25-ft. front, \$255.10. Price of wood work and glass quoted on application.



No. 9205

An inexpensive one-story front. Price of cast iron sills, steel girder, galvanized iron main cornice and pediment for a 20-ft. front, \$132.85. Price of wood work and glass quoted on application.

CONCRETE BLOCK STORE FRONTS—If you contemplate building a new store front, or remodeling an old one, the designs shown on the above two pages represent the latest construction of and steel girders, the concrete block wall being ornamented and dow caps. These designs can be changed to suit our customer. We furnish everything shown in the designs except the concrete blocks. Catalogue prices do not include mill work and glass. Mill work and glass quoted on application.

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No. 9206

A popular design for a brick lodge or office building with store rooms below. Price of cast iron sills, columns and lintels for supporting the brick work, galvanized iron cornice, beam moulding, window caps and pediment for a 45-ft. front, \$397.85; 50-ft. front, \$639.40; 55-ft. front, \$680.95. Prices of wood work and glass quoted on application.

This design can be made for buildings of different sizes.



No. 9207

This is a splendid arrangement for a wide store front, with either residence or office room in second story, the galvanized bay windows adding much to the attractiveness of the building. Our price for the cast iron sills, columns, steel girder, galvanized iron bay windows, window caps, main cornice and pediment for a 50-ft. front is \$717.55; 55-ft. front, \$756.85. Wood work and glass quoted on application.

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No. 9208

An excellent design for a double store on a corner lot. The corner entrance can be placed on either side. The cut shows stairway entrance from front; can be furnished without if desired. Price of cast iron columns, sills and lintels, galvanized iron lintel and main cornices, window caps and pediment, for a 50-ft. front with an 8-ft. return, \$730.15. Wood work and glass extra. This design can be made for buildings of different widths.



No. 9209

A double brick front. This arrangement has been very popular in small towns where it is necessary to keep the cost down to the minimum and still produce a modern and attractive front. We often furnish this design without galvanized iron cornices, and will be pleased to make propositions on such a construction if desired. Our price for the cast iron sills, lintels and columns for supporting the front brick wall and the galvanized iron cornices with trimming same, for a 40-ft. front would be \$390.15; 44-ft. front, \$413.25. Wood work and glass extra. This design can be made for buildings of different sizes.

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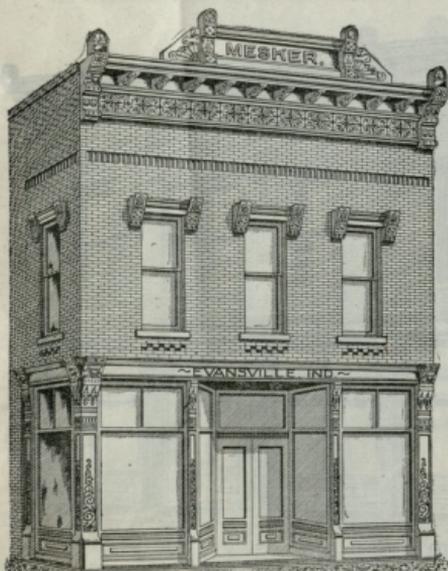
No. 9210

A two-story brick front with one of our handsomest cornices, which makes an up-to-date front. Price of cast iron sills, columns and lintels, galvanized iron lintel and main cornices, window caps and pediment for a 24-ft. front, \$331.85; 26-ft. front, \$365.65.



No. 9211

This is one of the best arrangements for a store or bank on a corner lot. The doors can be placed on either side. Price of cast iron columns, sills and lintels, galvanized iron main and lintel cornices, pediment and window caps for a 20-ft. front with an 8-ft. return, \$373.50.



No. 9212

A popular arrangement for a corner store, with return show window. Cost of cast iron columns, sills and lintels, galvanized iron main and lintel cornices, window caps and pediment for a 22-ft. front, with an 8-ft. return, will be \$407.70; 24-ft. front, \$429.60.

These designs can be made for buildings of different sizes.



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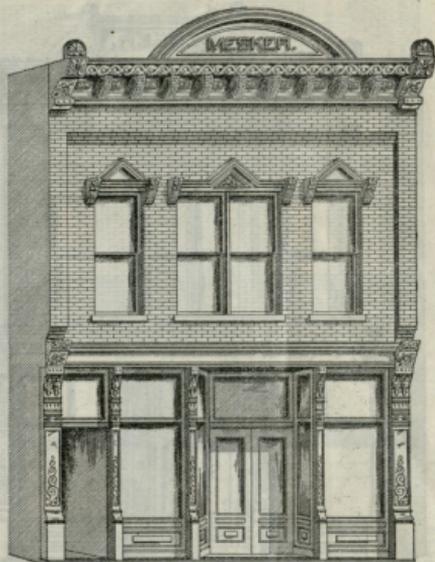
This form of corner entrance is preferred by many, the doors being placed in octagon or cut-off corner. The cost of cast iron columns, sills and lintels, galvanized iron main and lintel cornices, window caps and pediment for a 23-ft. front will be \$369.15. Prices for wood work and glass quoted on application.

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No. 9214

A brick front with galvanized iron bay window in second story, making a convenient arrangement for a store and residence building. Price of cast iron columns, sills and lintels, bay window, window caps, main and lintel cornices and pediment for a 24-ft. front, \$361.75.



No. 9215

A handsome brick store with stairway entrance. The price of cast iron columns, sills and lintels, galvanized iron main and lintel cornices, window caps and pediment for a 25-ft. front will be \$375.85; 27-ft. front, \$788.90; 29-ft. front, \$401.95.



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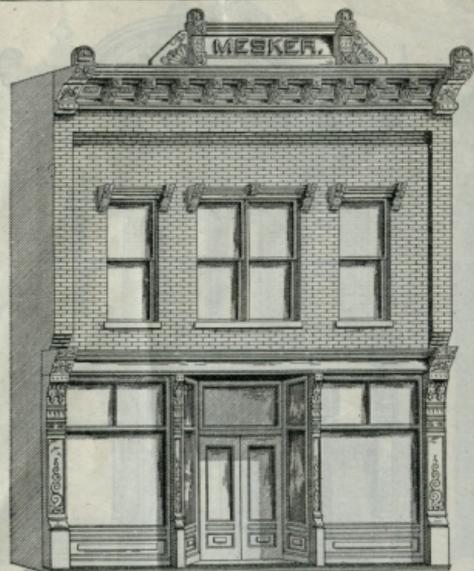
This is one of our best designs for a two-story brick building. It is very popular, and our price for the cast iron sills, columns and lintels, galvanized iron lintel and main cornices, window caps and pediment for a 25-ft. front will be \$323.20; 27-ft. front, \$338.10; 29-ft. front, \$351.00.



No. 9217

A handsome brick front of new design, for a store of narrow medium width, with straight doors. Price for cast iron columns, sills and lintels, galvanized iron cornices, window caps and pediment for a 20-ft. front, \$286.15; 22-ft. front, \$359.00.

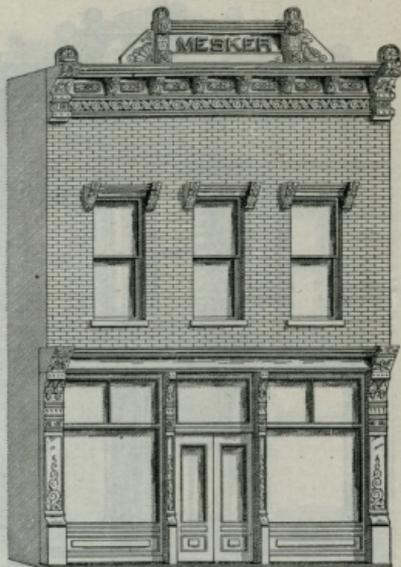
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No. 9218

A popular design for a brick front. We furnish the cast iron sills, columns, lintels, galvanized iron lintel and main cornice, window caps and pediment. Price for the iron work, as shown for 28-ft. front, \$397.09; 30-ft. front, \$411.18; 32-ft. front, \$425.25.

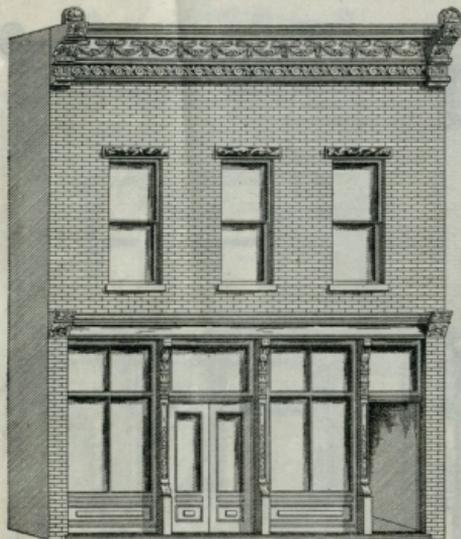
These designs can be made for buildings of different sizes.



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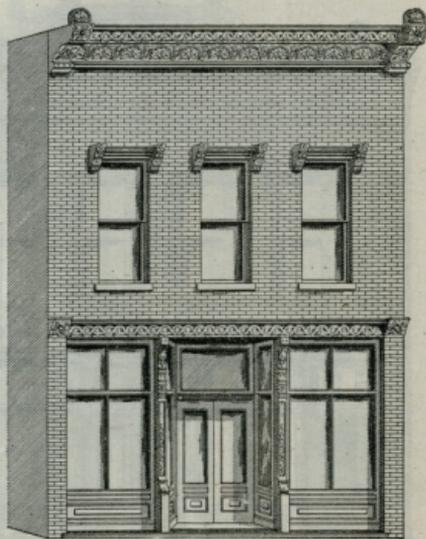
This design is for a narrow store front. Price of cast iron columns, sills, lintels, galvanized iron cornice and window caps for an 15-ft. front, \$368.50; 20-ft. front, \$282.45.

Prices for wood work and glass quoted on application.



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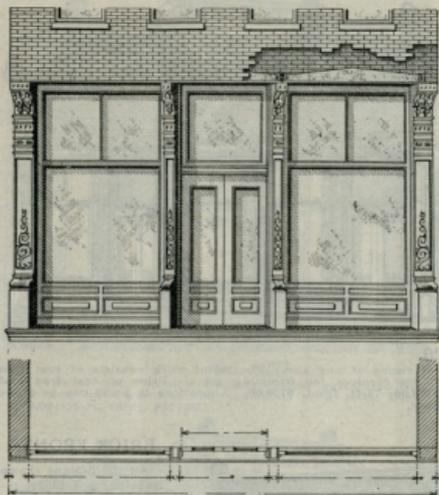
A design for a modern store at a small price, the cast iron wall columns being omitted and a medium price main cornice being shown. The price of cast iron columns, sills with lintels, galvanized main and lintel cornices, window caps for a front 25-ft. wide, \$261.00; 27-ft. front, \$273.15.



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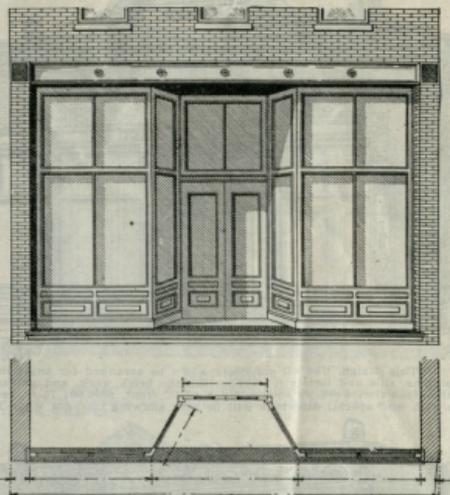
A cheap brick front, with brick side walls exposed, and a cheap style of main and lintel cornices. Price of cast iron columns, sills and lintels, galvanized main and lintel cornices, window caps for a 22-ft. front, \$203.20; 25-ft. front, \$220.10.

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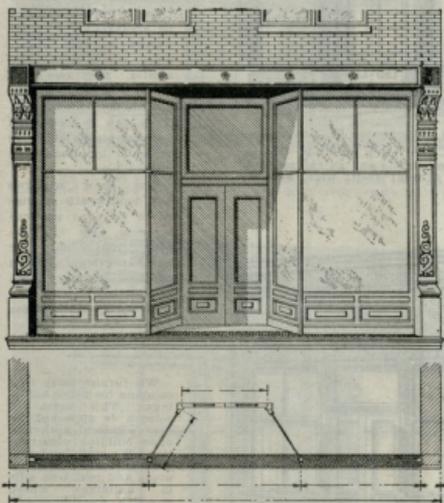
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This design is intended for a narrow brick front with straight doors and plate glass show windows, intermediate cast iron columns and lintels supporting second story brick work. Give us the width of your front, length of columns and thickness of front wall and we will quote attractive figures.



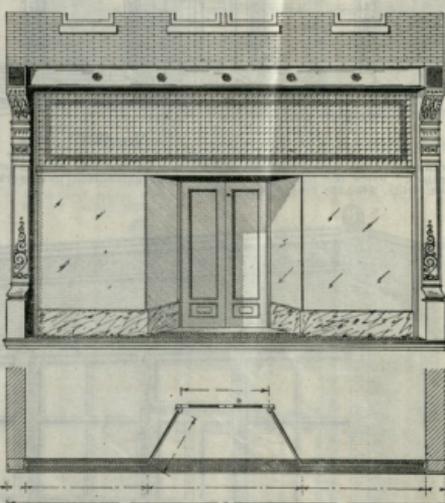
No. 9223

A medium priced front of very modern design, with recess doors and double strength A glass show windows. Second story brick work supported on a steel beam girder without any intermediate supporting columns. When writing for prices give width of front, height and thickness of wall to be supported and we will quote prices on the most economical arrangement.



No. 9224

A modern arrangement of store front where intermediate columns are not wanted, or the distance between supports is too great to permit the use of cast iron lintels, we furnish steel girders, using 2-in. gas pipe columns at corners of recess show windows and steel transom bars 1 1/4 in. wide on the face, admitting a maximum amount of light. Give specifications and we will quote promptly.



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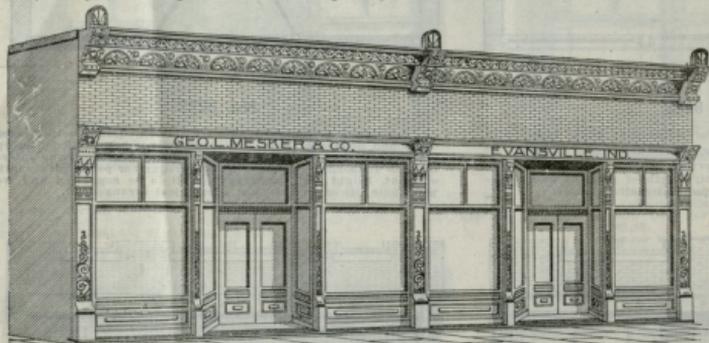
The very latest design in store fronts, consisting of cast iron sill columns, steel beam girders supporting second story brick work. Plate glass show windows with marble bases, also 4-in. by 4-in. prism glass in transoms above show windows, reflecting the light back into the store room. Give width of front from out to out, height and thickness of front wall and we will quote attractive prices.

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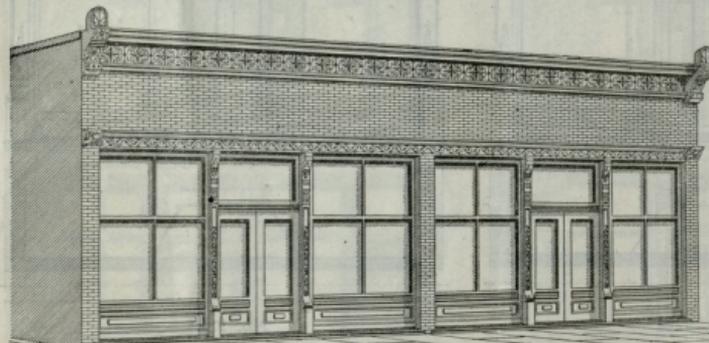
No. 9226

This design, like all our designs can be arranged for any number of rooms of any size. The metal work consists of cast iron columns, sills and lintels for supporting the brick work, and galvanized iron cornices for trimming same. Price of cast iron and galvanized iron work as shown, for a 45-ft. front, \$694.00; 70-ft. front, \$723.00; 75-ft. front, \$756.00. Alterations in plans can be made to suit, and special drawings will be sent showing changes when necessary.



No. 9227

This is a neat and attractive design at a moderate price for a one-story brick building. Can be arranged for any number of rooms. We furnish cast iron sills, columns and lintels and galvanized iron cornices. Price for the cast iron work and galvanized iron work for a front 40-ft. wide, \$125.23; 45-ft. wide, \$452.25; 60-ft. wide, \$479.52.



No. 9228

An inexpensive arrangement for a one-story brick block, with doors on a line with show windows and not recessed. Price for cast iron sills, columns and lintels for supporting brick work and galvanized iron cornices for trimming same, for a front 24-ft wide will be \$279.75; 37-ft wide, \$294.00; 46-ft. wide, \$369.05.

These designs can be made for buildings of different sizes. Prices of wood work and glass quoted on application.

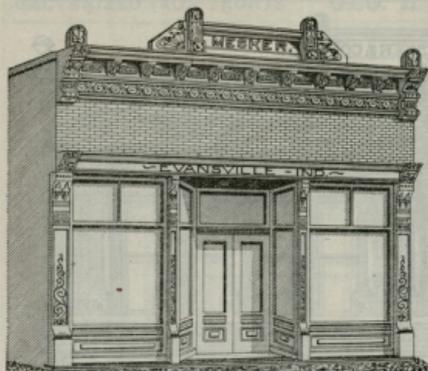
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BRICK FRONTS.

All the designs shown from pages 4 to 11, inclusive, are for brick buildings, the front walls being of brick supported by cast iron columns and cast iron lintels or steel beam girders, the brick work being ornamented and finished with galvanized iron cornices and window caps. These fronts can be arranged to suit our customers, the one-story fronts made two stories, the two-story fronts one or three stories, and vice versa. They can be combined to form blocks of stores or wider buildings than quoted here.

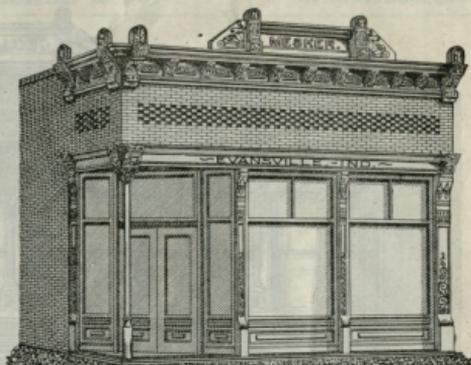
The show windows and doors can be changed to suit any particular case. We will furnish fronts with or without galvanized iron cornices. In short, we are prepared to furnish fronts of all styles, sizes and kinds.

We furnish cast iron columns for brick buildings. This style of column is approved by every known authority upon building construction. We make and recommend cast iron columns and cast iron sills in buildings where strength, durability and up-to-date architectural designs are wanted. We make our cast iron columns in one piece, including capital, base and ornamentation. They are heavy, strong and substantial, and the best form of supporting columns placed on the market.



No. 9229

Price of cast iron sills, columns, lintels, galvanized iron main and lintel cornices and pediment for a 20-ft. front, \$249.00; 25-ft. front, \$277.00.



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Price of cast iron sills, columns, lintels, galvanized iron main and lintel cornices and pediment for a 20-ft. front with an 8-ft. return, \$311.70.



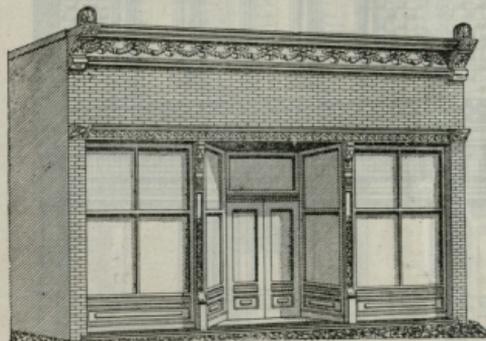
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Price of cast iron sills, columns, lintels, galvanized iron main and lintel cornices for 23-ft. front, with an 8-ft. return, \$355.80.



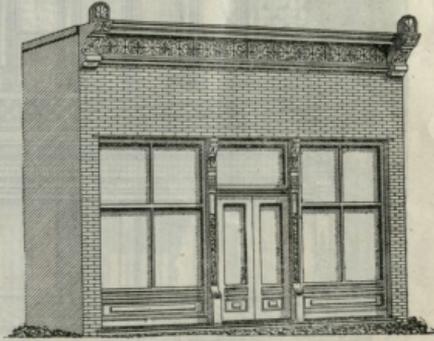
No. 9232

Price of cast iron sills, columns, lintels, galvanized iron main and lintel cornices and pediment for a 20-ft. front, with cut-off corner, \$274.30.



No. 9233

Price of cast iron sills, columns and lintels, galvanized iron main and lintel cornices for 23-ft. front, \$167.40; 25-ft. front, \$176.00; 27-ft. front, \$185.00.

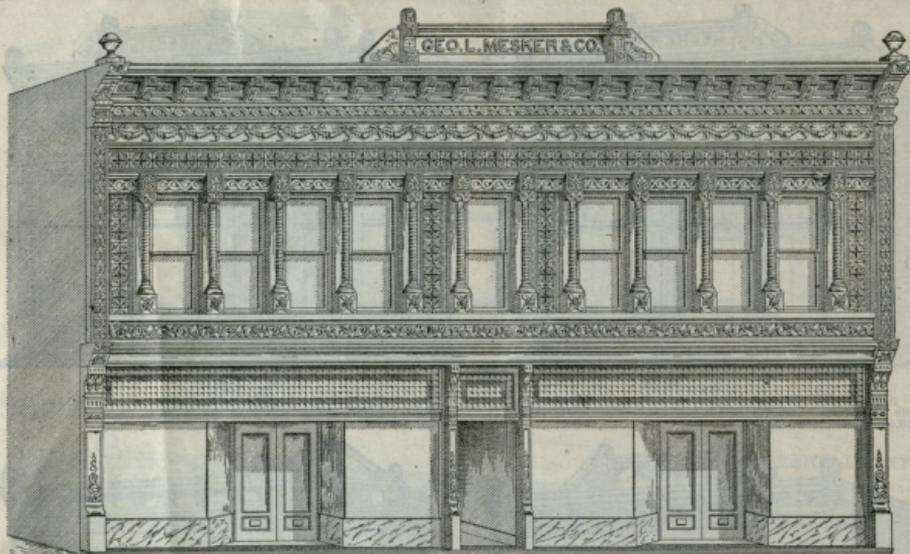


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Price of cast iron sills, columns and lintels, galvanized iron main cornices for an 18-ft. front, \$132.00; 20-ft. front, \$141.00.

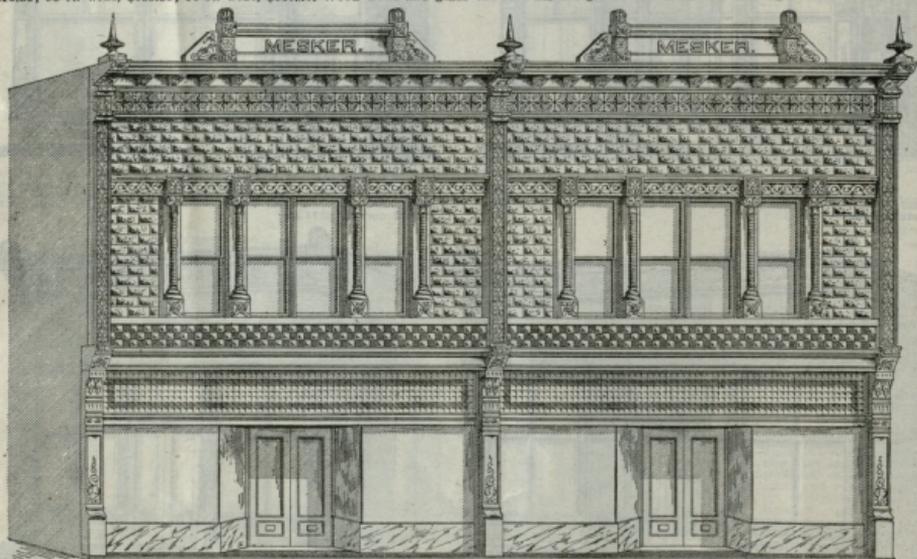
Price for wood work and glass quoted on application.

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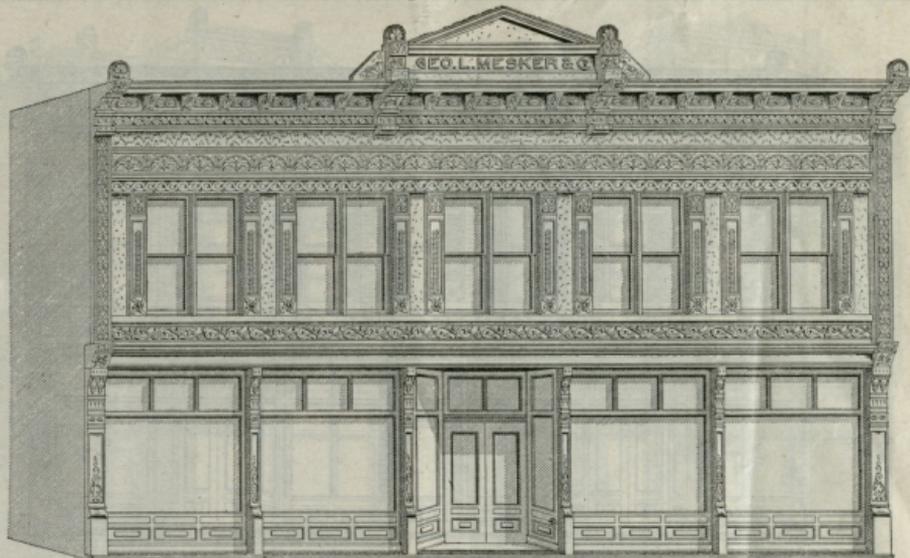
A design for a double store front, with stairway entrance. The entire upper front is made of galvanized iron. The combination of cornices, scrolls and spiral pilasters shown makes the handsomest design of metal front placed upon the market. Our price for the complete galvanized iron upper front, together with cast iron sills and columns for lower story front, for a front 50-ft. wide would be \$616.50; 52-ft. wide, \$638.35; 56-ft. wide, \$660.20. Wood work and glass extra. This design can be made for buildings of different sizes.



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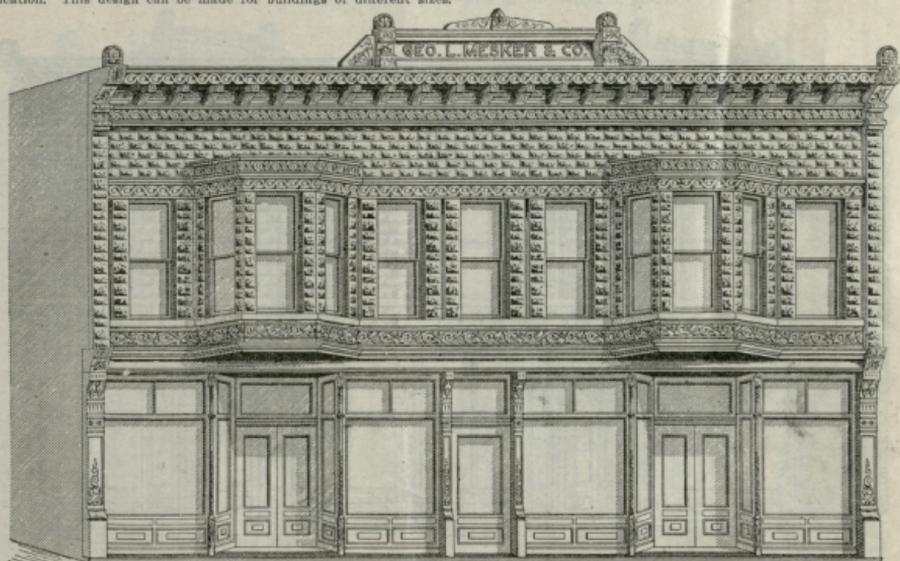
A handsome galvanized iron front for a double store, without stairway entrance from the front. The spiral, pilaster treatment around second story windows, with the rugged rock face work, scroll belts and cornices, gives the front an appearance that is not only striking, but very pleasing and attractive. Our price for the cast iron columns and sills for lower story front, and the complete galvanized iron upper front for a building 40-ft. wide will be \$511.50; 44-ft. wide, \$540.00; 48-ft. wide, \$569.70. This design can be made for buildings of different sizes. Prices for wood work and glass quoted on application.

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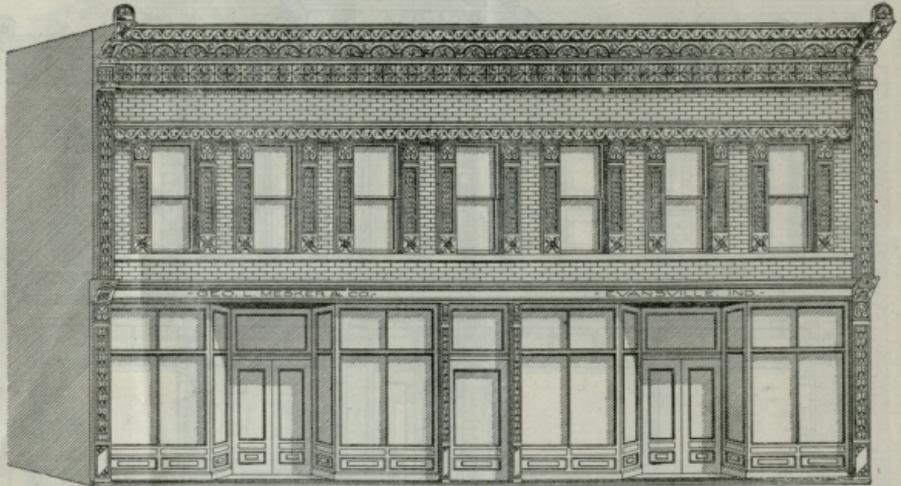
This is a design for a wide department store with center entrance. This arrangement makes well lighted rooms, and gives large display windows. The arrangement of scrolls, pilasters, cornices and ornamental work is one that has been designed to make a neat and attractive front. Our price for the cast iron columns and sills for lower story front, and the complete galvanized iron upper front, as shown, for building 43-ft. wide, will be \$546.85; 45-ft. wide, \$561.40; 47-ft. wide, \$575.95. Wood work and glass quoted on application. This design can be made for buildings of different sizes.



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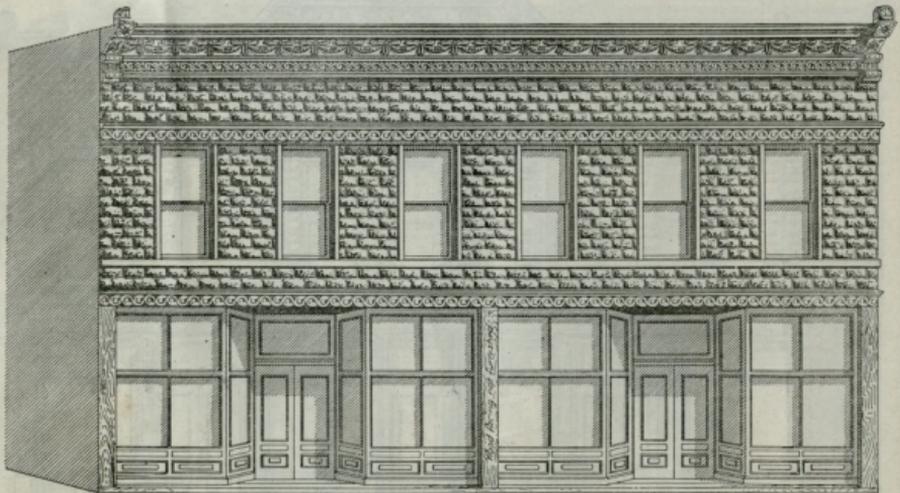
Bay windows, in addition to adding to the appearance of store fronts, make rooms very desirable for offices or residences. This design is one that we recommend for a combination store and office, or residence block. The stamping is a perfect representation of rough stone work, and the scrolls and cornices harmonize well, giving this front the appearance of rough Ashlar stone, with terra cotta finish. Our price for the cast iron and galvanized iron work required for a 55-ft. front will be \$717.00; 55-ft. front, \$723.40; 50-ft. front, \$789.80. Price of wood work and glass quoted on application. This design can be made for buildings of different sizes.

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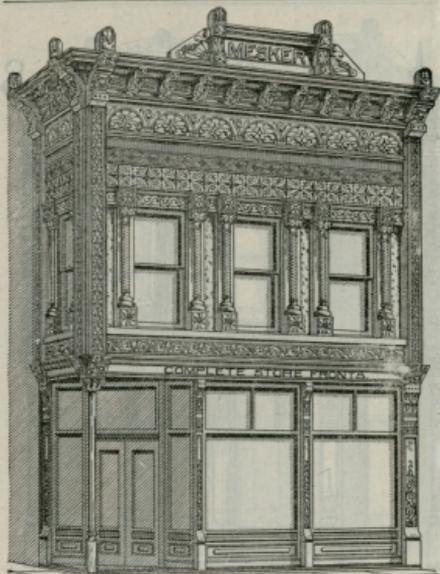
To meet the demand for an attractive front at a low price we have introduced this design with most satisfactory results. We furnish galvanized iron side columns in first story, and the galvanized upper front as shown; also cast iron sills. Price of cast iron sills and galvanized iron upper front for a 45-ft. front, \$409.15; 55-ft. front, \$448.65; 65-ft. front, \$478.15. This front, like all our designs, can be arranged to suit fronts of any width and height. If the arrangement shown is not satisfactory, send us a description of your requirements and we will quote net prices. Weed work and glass extra.



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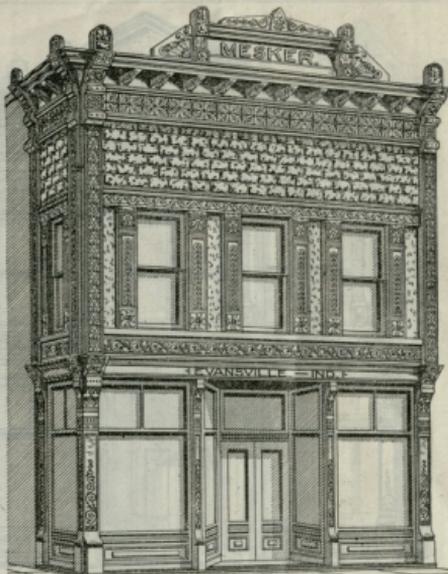
When the cost of a front is to be kept down to a minimum, we recommend this design. It is plain but neat, and while it is not as handsome or as attractive as our more expensive designs, it is much more attractive than the ordinary wood weather-boarded front, and the slight difference in cost between a wood front and this design, we are sure will be well invested. Our price for the galvanized iron upper front, as shown, arranged for a building 40-ft. wide, will be \$229.50; 42-ft. wide, \$231.00; 44-ft. wide, \$241.50. We can furnish, if desired, galvanized pilasters in first story, and cast iron sill course. Same will be extra. This design can be arranged for buildings of any desired width. Price of wood work and glass extra.

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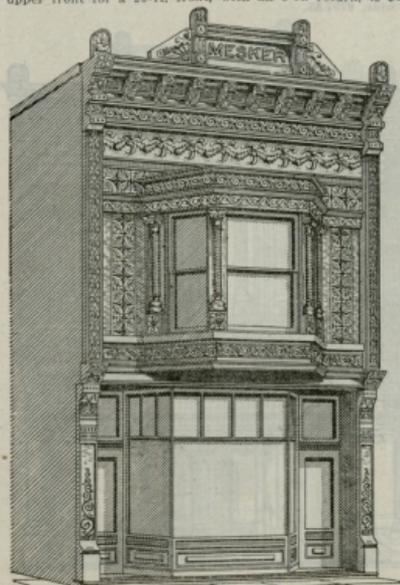
No. 9241

A design for corner entrance. The galvanized iron work is one of our handsomest arrangements of cornices, scrolls, pilasters, etc. Our price for cast iron sills, columns and galvanized iron upper front for a 20-ft. front, with an 8-ft. return, is \$152.70.



No. 9242

A front for a corner lot, with return show window. The galvanized iron cornices, pilasters, etc. are very neat and attractive, but not as expensive as No. 9241. The cost of cast iron sills, columns and galvanized iron upper front for a 22-ft. lot, with an 8-ft. return is, \$156.75.



No. 9243

A bay window design, very popular for narrow rooms. This construction gives large window space. Our price for the cast iron sills, columns and galvanized iron upper front for a building 13-ft. wide, would be \$283.20; 20-ft. wide, \$297.75.

These designs can be made for buildings of different sizes.

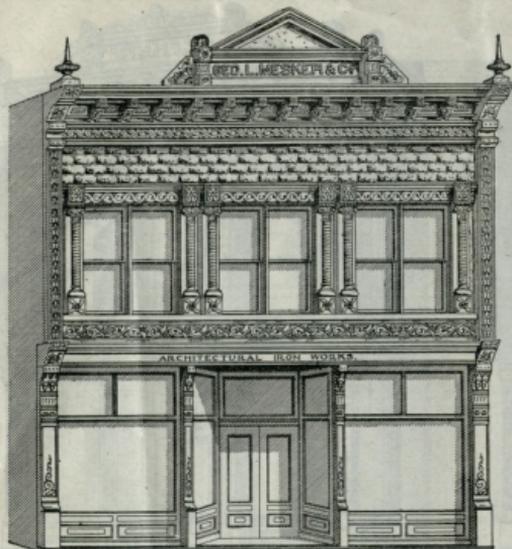


No. 9244

A galvanized iron front with bay window in second story, making a convenient arrangement for a store, office or residence building. Cost of cast iron sills, columns and galvanized iron upper front for a building 25-ft. wide, \$380.65; 27-ft. wide, \$395.20; 29-ft. wide, \$409.75.

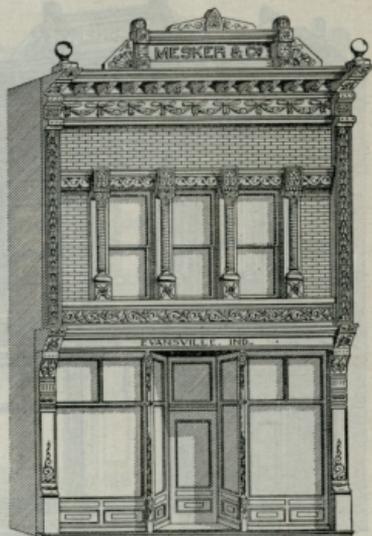
Prices of wood work and glass quoted on application.

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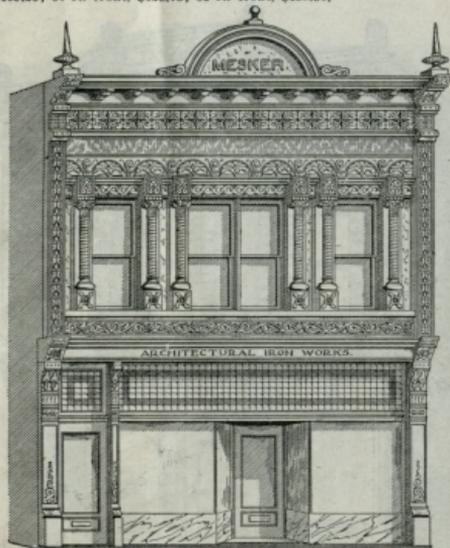
No. 9245

A popular arrangement for a wide store, making well lighted rooms both above and below. The ornamental work is new, attractive and very handsome, and presents a pleasing appearance. Our price for cast iron sills, columns and galvanized iron upper front, 28-ft. wide, is \$400.50; 26-ft. front, \$422.75; 22-ft. front, \$428.50.



No. 9246

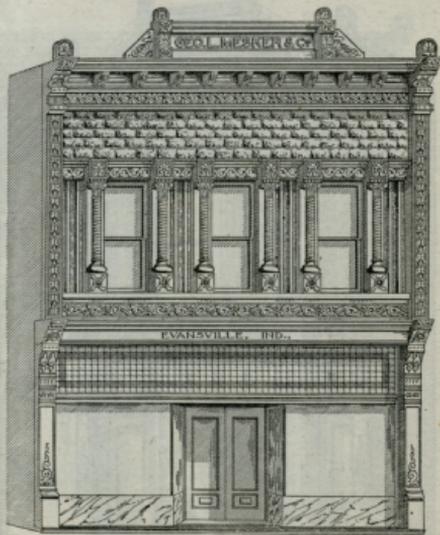
This is a new and striking design, very showy and attractive and especially adaptable for rooms of medium width. Our price for the cast iron sills, columns and galvanized iron upper front, 19-ft. wide, is \$283.00; 21-ft. wide, \$297.53.



No. 9247

This is the most popular arrangement for a two-story front. The combination of stamped work is very handsome, and makes a store front to be proud of. Our price for the cast iron sills, columns and galvanized iron upper front, 25-ft. wide, is \$365.63; 27-ft. wide, \$380.20.

These designs can be made for buildings of different sizes.

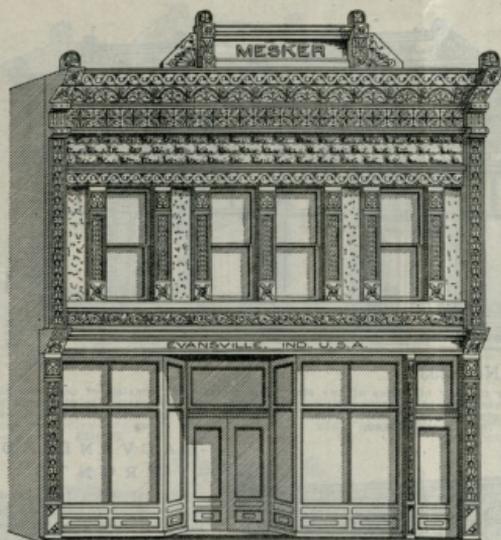


No. 9248

A handsome stamped rock face and ornamental galvanized iron front. Can be arranged with or without stairway entrance. Our price for the cast iron sills and columns in first story and the galvanized iron upper front for a 22-ft. front, \$324.50; 24-ft. front, \$338.85.

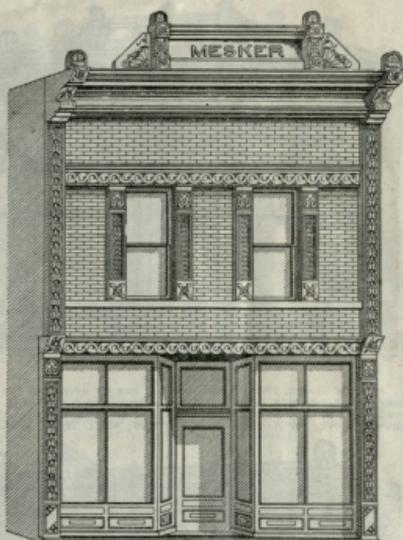
Prices of wood work and glass quoted on application.

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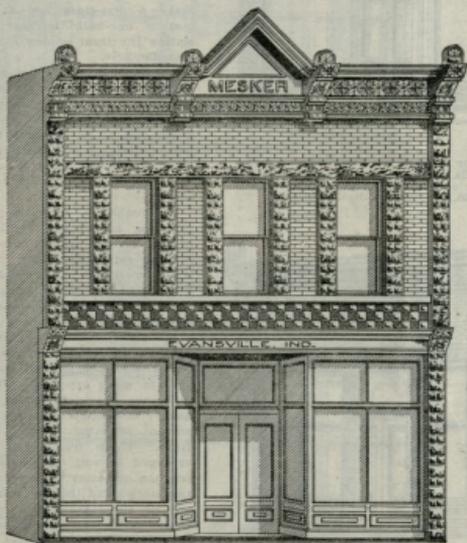
No. 9249

This is a popular design for a two-story front, having galvanized steel pilasters in first story, and a complete galvanized iron front above. We furnish the cast iron sill for lower story. Price of cast iron sill, galvanized steel pilasters and upper front for a building 26-ft. wide, \$269.40; 28-ft. wide, \$274.95; 30-ft. wide, \$289.50.



No. 9250

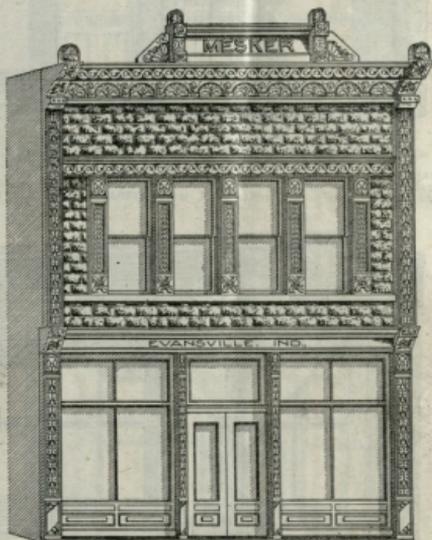
An attractive front with galvanized steel pilasters in first story. The second story front is all galvanized iron, including the brick. Price of cast iron sill, galvanized pilasters and galvanized upper front, 13-ft. wide, \$172.95; 20-ft. wide, \$186.00.



No. 9251

This is a handsome low price galvanized front, having stamped steel pilasters in first story, with cast iron sill course. Price of cast iron sill, galvanized iron pilasters and galvanized iron upper front 21-ft. wide, \$229.65; 23-ft. wide, \$235.20; 25-ft. wide, \$246.75.

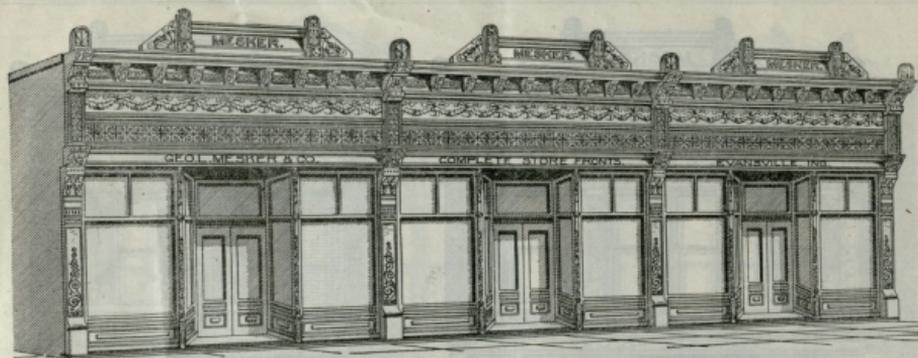
These designs can be made for buildings of different sizes.



No. 9252

A stylish combination of ornamental work and galvanized steel rock for upper front, and stamped galvanized iron columns. Price of cast iron sill, galvanized pilasters and galvanized iron upper front 18-ft. wide, \$187.20; 20-ft. wide, \$200.25; 22-ft. wide, \$215.30. Prices of wood work and glass quoted on application.

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No. 9253

This design, like all our designs, can be arranged for any number of rooms of any size. The metal work consists of cast iron sill courses and columns below, and a handsome and elaborate combination of cornices, belt courses, scrolls, etc. Alterations in plans can be made to suit, and special drawings will be sent, showing changes when necessary. Price of cast iron and galvanized iron work, as shown above, for a 60-ft. front, \$573.00; 65-ft. front, \$601.50; 70-ft. front, \$630.80.

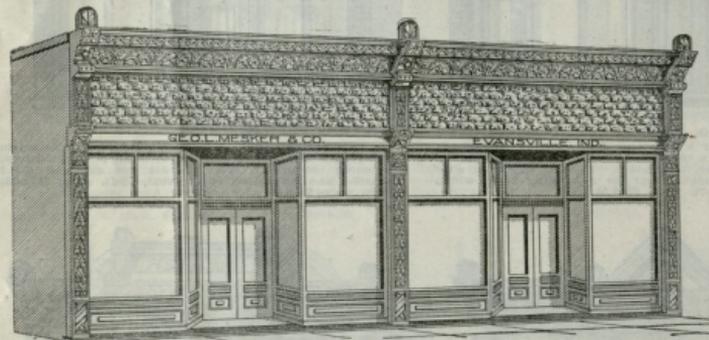
GALVANIZED FRONTS

Our galvanized iron fronts illustrated on pages 12 to 21, inclusive, are new, original and handsome designs; for our sheet metal fronts we claim superiority in construction to any front furnished by our competitors. With our system of marking each piece, our details and description, any carpenter can set our fronts and make a first-class job, at a cost of one-half the cost of setting the front of any other manufacturer.

The construction of our galvanized iron fronts not only makes the work easy to put in place, but makes a durable front, and as we use only the best material, a Geo. L. Mesker & Co. Store Front should, with slight care last indefinitely.

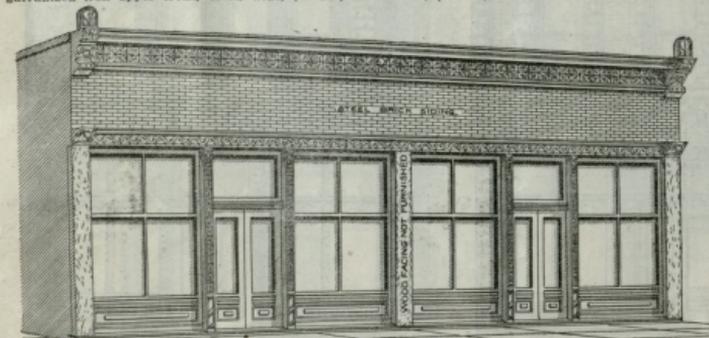
In combining the stamped pilasters, scrolls and cornices of the several designs shown in this catalogue, every care that experience can give has been used to present fronts that are handsome and have a harmonious appearance.

By examining prices given herein, you will find some fronts very cheap, while others are more expensive. The difference in price is not in quality of material, but in the amount of labor making the front. These fronts can be arranged to suit our customers; the one-story fronts made two stories and the two stories one or three stories, or vice versa. They can be combined to make blocks of stores or wider fronts than quoted here. The windows and doors can be made to fit each particular case; in short, we are prepared to furnish fronts of all styles, sizes and kinds.



No. 9254

This is a neat and attractive design at a moderate price, for a one-story block. Can be arranged for any number of rooms. We furnish the cast iron sills, galvanized iron pilasters and galvanized iron upper front. Price for the iron work consisting of cast iron sills, pilasters and galvanized iron upper front, 40-ft. wide, \$230.25; 45-ft. wide, \$259.15; 50-ft. wide, \$288.00.

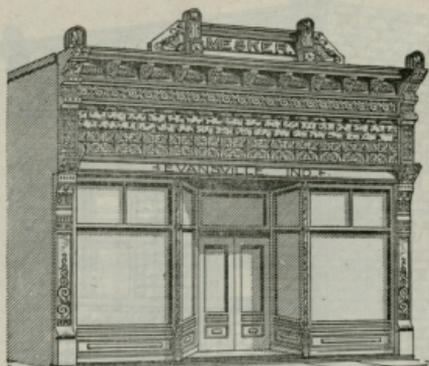


No. 9255

An inexpensive combination of cornices and stamped brick, suitable for a cheap building. Price for galvanized iron door pilasters, and upper front, 34-ft. wide, \$132.00; 36-ft. wide, \$138.75; 38-ft. wide, \$145.50.

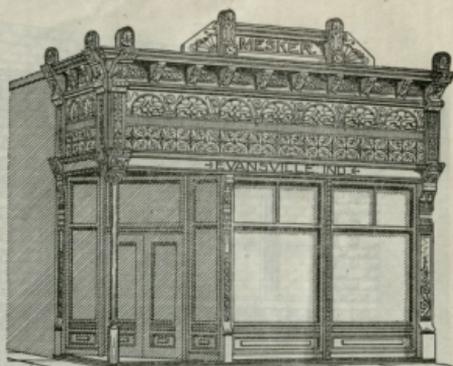
Galvanized wall pilasters and cast iron sills extra. These designs can be made for buildings of different sizes. Prices for wood work and glass quoted on application.

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No. 9256

A galvanized iron front with cast iron columns and sills. Our price for the cast iron work and the galvanized iron upper front, including pediment, for a front 20-ft. wide, is \$210.00; 26-ft. wide, \$240.75.



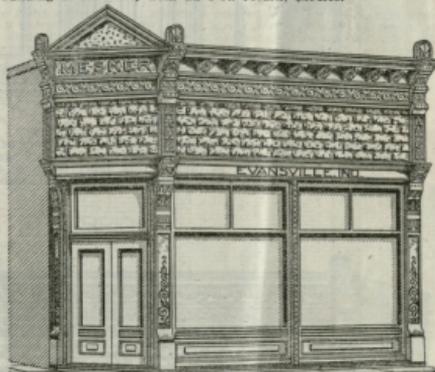
No. 9257

A design for a corner entrance. Price of cast iron sills, columns and galvanized iron upper front and pediment for a building 20-ft. front, with an 8-ft. return, \$291.45.



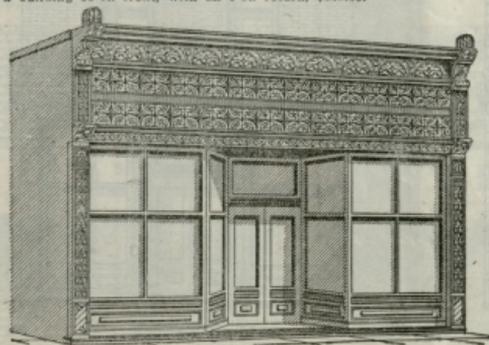
No. 9258

A front with a return show window. Our price for the cast iron sills, columns, galvanized iron upper front and pediment for a building 22-ft. front, with an 8-ft. return, \$328.50.



No. 9259

A corner entrance design with cast iron columns, sills and galvanized iron upper front. Our price for cast iron work and galvanized iron front for a 20-ft. front is \$259.95.



No. 9260

A handsome and inexpensive design for a one-story building. Price for cast iron sills, galvanized iron pilasters and upper front, 22-ft. wide, \$112.90; 25-ft. wide, \$127.90.

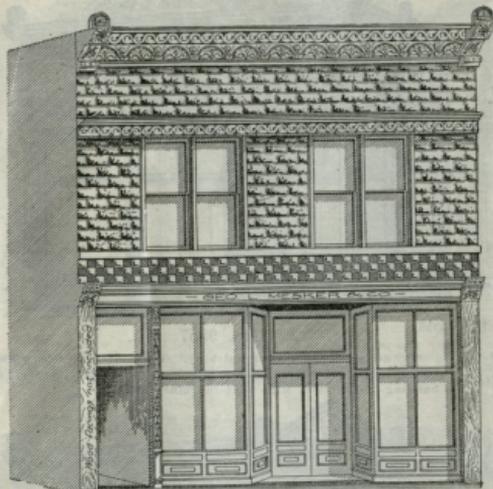
This design can be made for buildings of different sizes.



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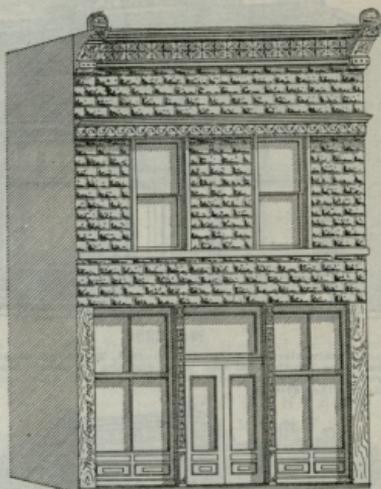
A very cheap design for a one-story building. Our price for the cast iron sills, galvanized iron pilasters and upper front for a building 15-ft. wide, \$77.40; 18-ft. wide, \$85.95. Prices for wood work and glass quoted on application.

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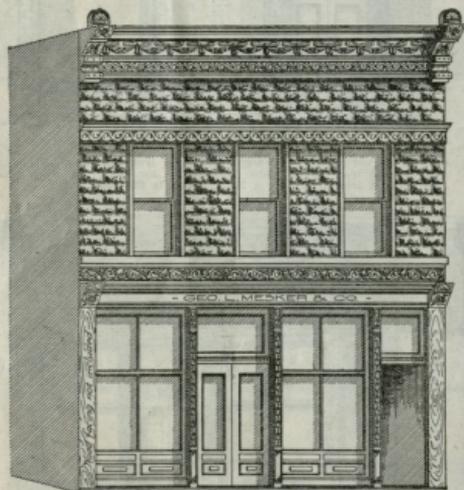
No. 9262

A design for a wide single front with stairway entrance at a moderate price. The arrangement of windows in second story can be changed if desired. Cost of galvanized iron upper front for a building 26-ft. wide, \$143.30; 28-ft. wide, \$153.20; cast iron sill with pilasters or columns, extra.



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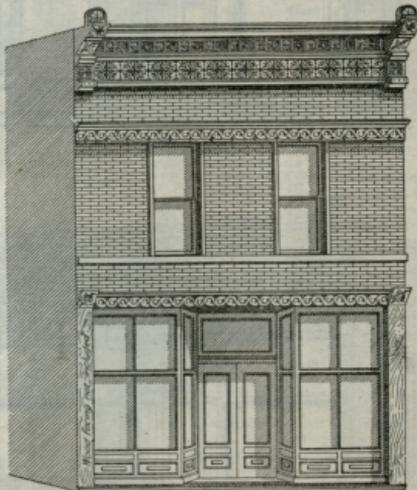
A cheap design for a narrow front with straight doors. Price of galvanized iron upper front for a building 18-ft. wide, \$90.00; 20-ft. wide, \$99.00; 22-ft. wide, \$108.00. Cast iron sills and wall pilasters or columns, extra.



No. 9264

A design similar to design 9262, with doors on a line with show windows. Price of galvanized iron upper front for a building 23-ft. wide, \$153.40; 25-ft. wide, \$163.90; 27-ft. wide, \$174.40.

These designs can be made for buildings of different sizes. Cast sills and wall pilasters or columns, extra.



No. 9265

A popular front for an inexpensive building. Can be furnished with either stamped brick or stamped stone. Price of galvanized iron upper front for a building 20-ft. wide, \$106.50; 22-ft. wide, \$117.00.

Cast iron sills and wall pilasters or columns, extra. Prices of wood work and glass quoted on application.

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No. 9266

A design for a two-story frame building, showing a cheap store front with sides of building covered with stamped metal brick or rock. An inexpensive way of remodeling old frame buildings, and a splendid way of furnishing the exterior of new buildings, the cost comparing favorably with weather-boarding, when appearance, durability and fire protection are taken into consideration. Do not use wood weather-boarding when you can get an attractive building so cheap. Send us dimensions of your building and see how cheap we can make a fine brick or stone building.



No. 9267

Frame buildings covered with steel siding, either brick or rock, are much more attractive in appearance than wood weather-boarded buildings, and where durability and fire protection are concerned, are cheaper. The cost of erection is not more than putting wood siding in place, the material being put in place with hammer and nails, and can be erected by any carpenter. This kind of material can be used on frame buildings of any size, shape and arrangement. Send us dimensions of your building, and let us show you how cheap we can make a beautiful and attractive store out of it.



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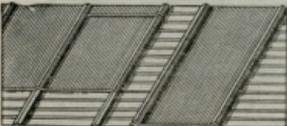
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No. 927. Corrugated Iron

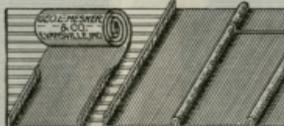
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No. 928. V Crimped Roofing.

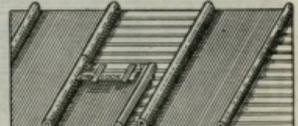
Furnished in sheets 24 in. wide, 5 to 10 ft. long.

NOTE—We carry a large stock of both painted and galvanized steel roofing, and are thereby able to serve our customers promptly, for orders of any quantity. Price list will be furnished on application.



No. 929. Roll Steel Roofing

Furnished in rolls 26 in. wide and 50 ft. long.

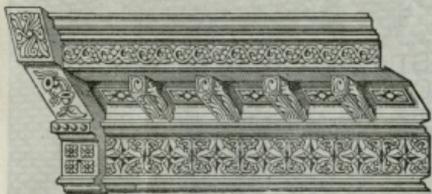


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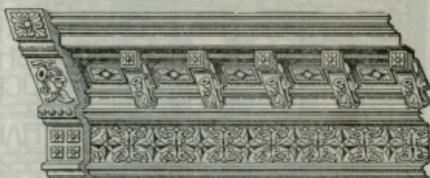
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Galvanized Iron Cornices



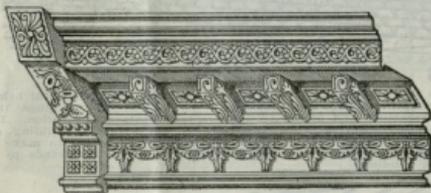
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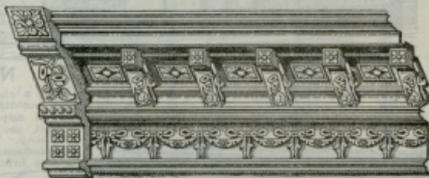
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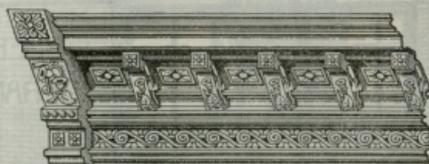
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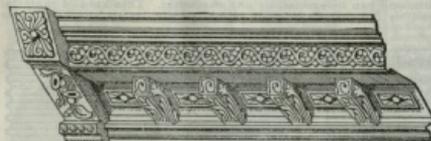
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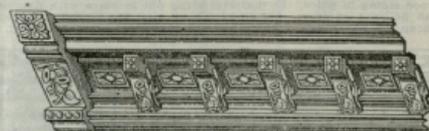
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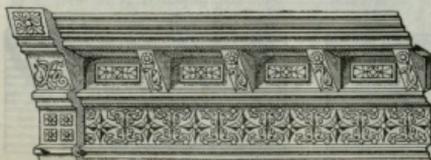
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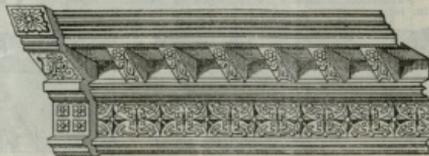
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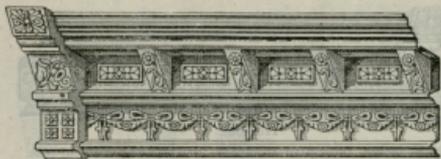
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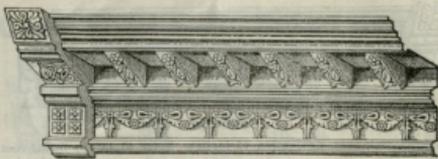
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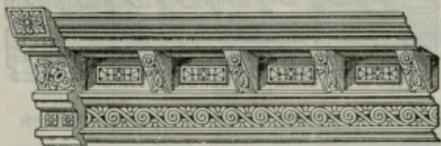
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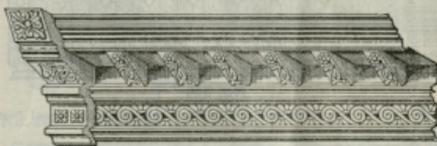
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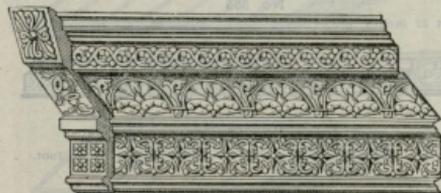
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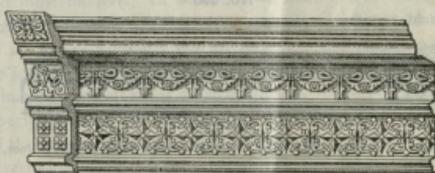
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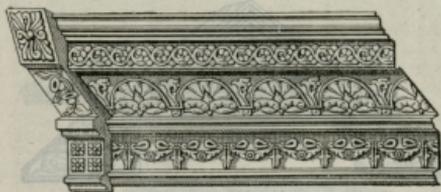
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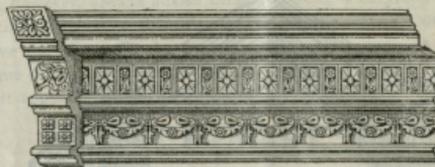
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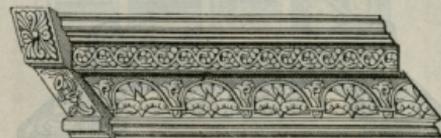
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Height 48 inches, projection 12 inches. Price \$2.03 per lineal foot.



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Height 30 inches, projection 24 inches. Price \$1.80 per lineal foot.



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Height 30 inches, projection 12 inches. Price \$1.50 per lineal foot.

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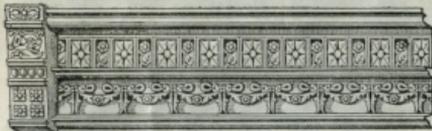
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Height 28 inches, projection 12 inches. Price \$1.43 per lineal foot.



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Height 28 inches, projection 12 inches. Price \$1.43 per lineal foot.



No. 548

Height 49 inches, projection 3 inches. Price \$1.43 per lineal foot.



No. 553

Height 42 inches, projection 3 inches. Price \$1.43 per lineal foot.



No. 549

Height 22 inches, projection 3 inches. Price 90c per lineal foot.



No. 554

Height 22 inches, projection 3 inches. Price 90c per lineal foot.



No. 550

Height 22 inches, projection 3 inches. Price 90c per lineal foot.



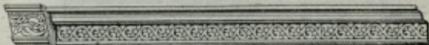
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Height 22 inches, projection 3 inches. Price 90c per lineal foot.



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Height 18 inches, projection 5 inches. Price 83c per lineal foot.



No. 556

Height 12 inches, projection 2 inches. Price 60c per lineal foot.

Galvanized Pediments



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Price \$23.78 and upward



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Price \$26.78 and upward



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Price \$16.88 and upward

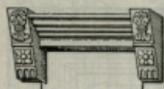


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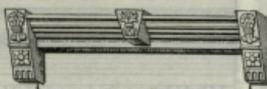
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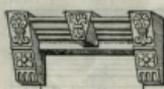
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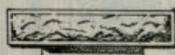
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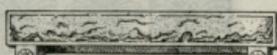
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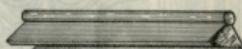


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Ridge Roll



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No. 571. Finials



No. 572. Ridge Roll



No. 573. Ornamental Cresting

Non-Leaking Skylights



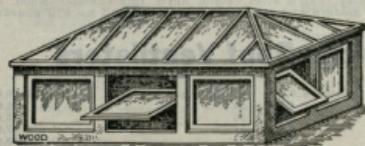
No. 148. Flat Skylight



No. 149. Gable Skylight



No. 150. Hipped Skylight



No. 151. Turret Skylight

Our Patent, Non-Leaking, Galvanized Iron Skylight Frames are absolutely non-leaking, and where once used are always referred to as standard. We make skylights of any size.

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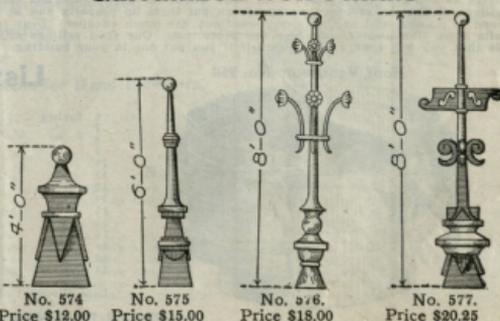
Galvanized Iron Department

The equipment in this department can not be surpassed. Our special machinery for forming mouldings, our presses and hammers for stamping and embossing ornamental work are of the best and most modern. In addition, we have a large force of skilled galvanized iron workers. We are therefore in position to execute all orders promptly and to furnish a thoroughly workmanlike job—complete in all details at a minimum cost.

We manufacture all kinds of cornice work from stock designs, from special designs and according to architect's drawings. If none of the designs illustrated in this catalogue are suitable, send us a description of what is wanted and we will submit sketches of special designs (free of charge) that we would suggest; or if you have architect's plans, send us a copy and we will name price upon the work according to same."

We, however, always advise catalogue designs in preference to special designs or architect's designs, for the reason that we can give our customers better value for their money, as our catalogue designs are the result of years of experience, and give the best appearance that can be procured at the price.

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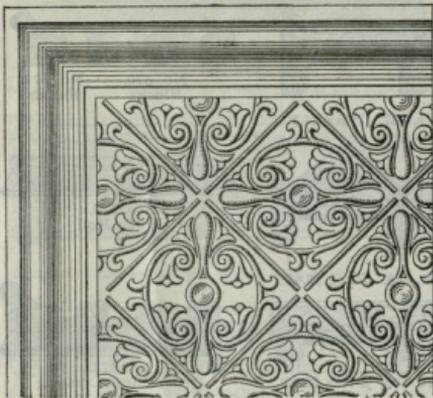


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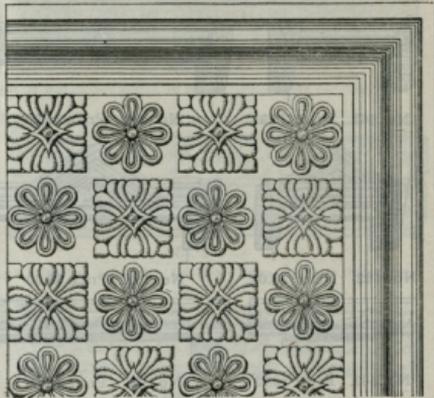
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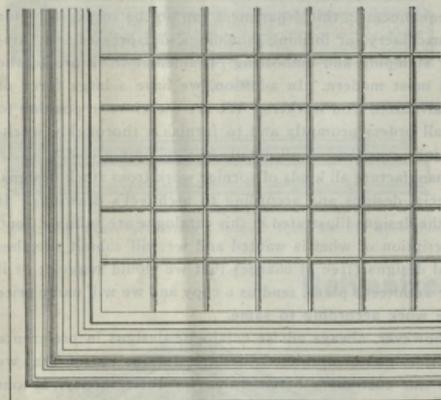
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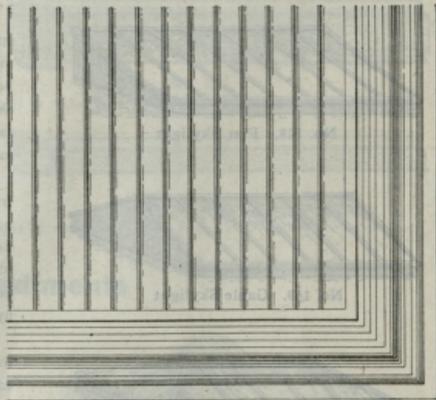
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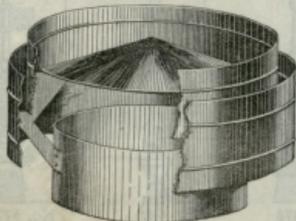
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One-Eighth Full Size.

These four designs are the most popular that we have ever placed on the market, and our customers universally express themselves as being highly pleased with their attractive appearance and the ease in which they are placed in position. We furnish our ceilings so that an ordinary workman can put them up properly and at a small expense. Their cost compares favorably with either wood or plaster, and as they never wear out, are much cheaper. Bear in mind also that a steel ceiling never rots out like wood, or falls down like plaster, and is a fire protection. Our steel ceilings will make a modern and attractive store room, and we will guarantee that you will congratulate yourself if you put one in your building.

Roof Ventilator No. 256



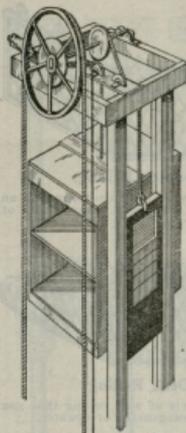
List Prices Roof Ventilators

6 inches	Price	26 inches	Price
7	\$ 3.40	28	\$ 50.00
8	4.00	30	56.00
9	4.65	32	65.00
10	5.25	34	80.00
12	6.75	36	100.00
13	10.00	40	120.00
14	12.00	42	130.00
15	14.00	44	150.00
16	16.00	48	200.00
18	22.00	54	300.00
20	33.00	60	350.00
22	36.00	66	420.00
24	40.00	72	480.00

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No. 450. Dumb Waiter

Machine, ash car (any size up to 30x24 inches), sectional counterweight, rope eyelets, hand ropes, hoist rope, car runs, weight runs for one-story travel\$16.00

For each additional story... 4.00

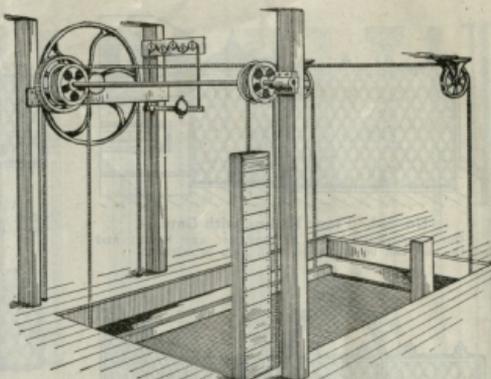
A car 24 inches wide by 20 inches deep will be supplied when no size is given.

For double fixtures having two rope wheels and two hand ropes, so they can be operated from front and back, add \$5.40 for the extra wheel add \$2.70 for the hand rope for each story.

No. 451. Carriage or Warehouse Elevator.

Machinery, platform, counterweight wrought iron track and ropes will be furnished to travel one story at the following prices:

Capacity	Shipping	Weight
Lbs.		Lbs.
1000 not over 8x12 ft.	\$168.75	1783
2000 not over 8x16 ft.	189.00	3027
4000 not over 8x18 ft.	303.75	5225
Extra for additional story, \$27.00		



No. 451. Carriage or Warehouse Elevator

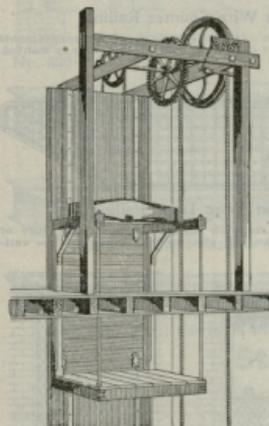
No. 450. Dumb Waiter.

Elevators

Our special elevators are designed upon scientific principles. All care and attention are given to every detail that will add durability, ease in operation and neatness in finish.

The machinery is in no way complicated, but is thorough in construction. The parts are few and easily arranged, so that an ordinary mechanic can place them in position.

The prices quoted do not include wood work, except that for platform. In addition to what we propose to furnish it will be necessary for you to obtain wood casings for weight box and frame work to support machinery.



No. 453

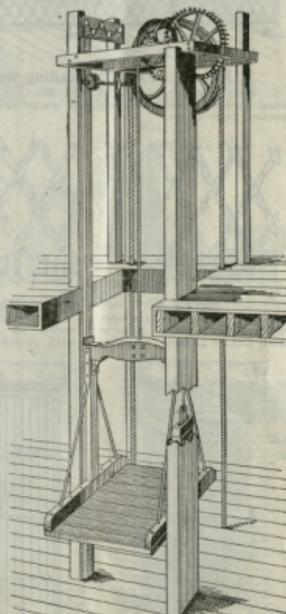
Back Guide Hand Elevator

Machinery, platform, sectional counterweights, wrought iron track and ropes will be furnished to travel one story at the following prices:

Capacity	Shipping	Weight
Lbs.		Lbs.
500 with a car not over 3 ft. wide by 2 1/2 ft. deep	\$108.00	900
1000 with a car not over 3 ft. wide by 3 ft. deep	135.00	1137
1500 with a car not over 4 ft. wide by 2 1/2 ft. deep	162.00	1400
2000 with a car not over 5 ft. wide by 4 ft. deep	189.00	1791
There will be an extra charge of \$10.80 for each additional story.		

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- The Little Beauty Dumb Waiter.
- The Energy Dumb Waiter.
- The Little Giant Dumb Waiter.
- The Side Post Hand Elevator.
- The Back Guide Hand Elevator.
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- Carriage or Warehouse Elevator.
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- Power Attachments for Hand Elevators.

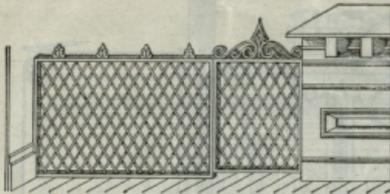


No. 452. Side Post Hand Elevator

Machinery, platform, counterweights and rope will be furnished to travel one story at the following prices:

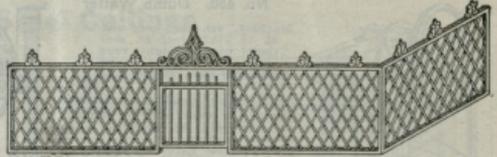
Capacity	Shipping	Weight
Lbs.		Lbs.
500 with a car not over 3 ft. wide by 3 1/2 ft. deep	\$108.00	1004
1000 with a car not over 3 1/2 ft. wide by 4 ft. deep	135.00	1248
1500 with a car not over 4 ft. wide by 4 1/2 ft. deep	162.00	1500
2000 with a car not over 4 1/2 ft. wide by 5 ft. deep	189.00	1984
There will be an extra charge of \$10.80 for each additional story.		

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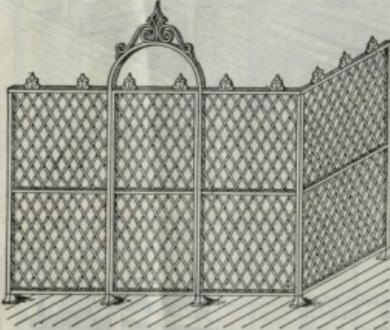
No. 850. Floor Railing with Gate.

Our floor railings can be made of any height and length, and can be furnished with gate or without.



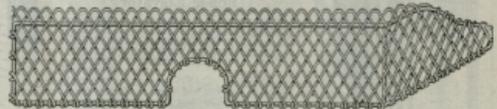
No. 853. Round Wire Counter Railing.

A well made counter railing adds much to the appearance of an office, and is much superior in strength and durability to any form of wood railing.



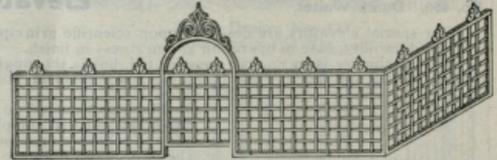
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Write us for prices of any kind of wire work and send measurements and we will make estimates that will secure your order.



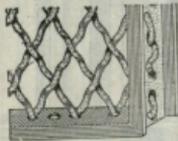
No. 854. Round Wire Desk Railing

Our facilities enable us to execute any style of wire railing that you may desire, and to make same to fit any arrangement of counter.



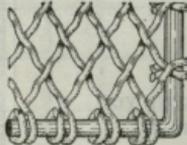
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Write us explaining how you can use a railing, give measurements and description of arrangement of cash holes and other openings wanted.



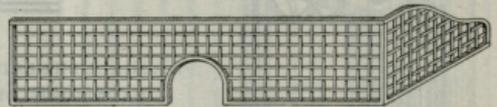
Detail A

Detail showing arrangement of window guards with flat or channel frames.



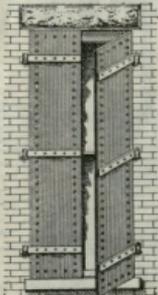
Detail B

Detail showing arrangement of window guard with round iron frames.

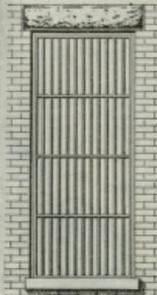


No. 856. Flat Wire Desk Railing

Any inquiry you may favor us with for prices on a job, large or small, will have our prompt attention, and we will make a close estimate.



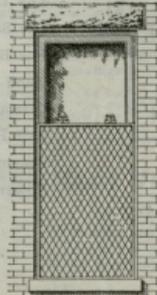
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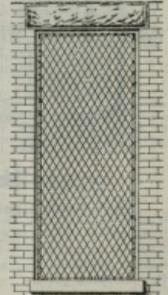
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No. 857. Flat Frame



No. 858. Round Frame



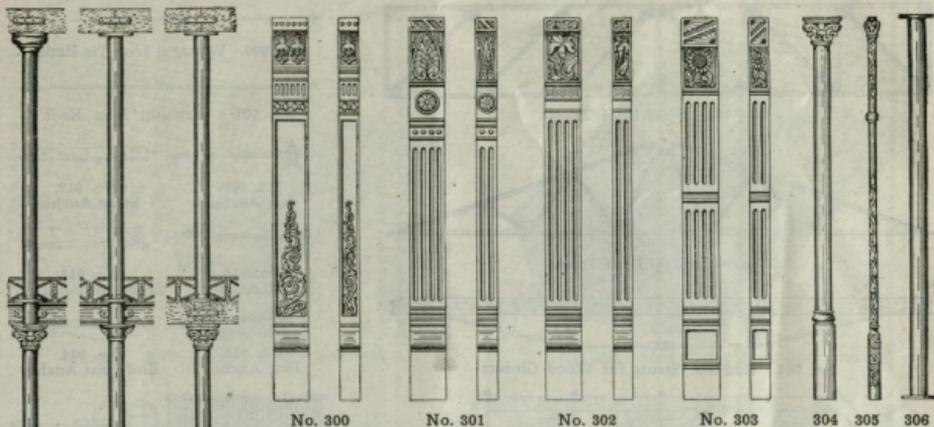
No. 859. Round Frame

Crimped Wire Window Guards

These guards can be arranged for windows of any size, with square, segment or Gothic tops. The price will depend upon the number and size of guards wanted. Send us your specifications and get our estimates before buying.

We furnish window and door shutters and guards of any size. Send measurements of window or door opening between brick jambs and we will quote special net prices.

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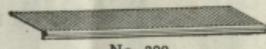
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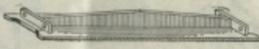
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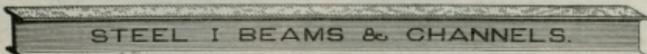
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Cast Iron Vestibule Sill



No. 309.
Cast Iron Sills



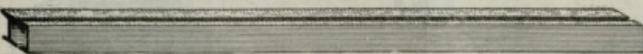
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Steel Beams

We have a large stock of Standard Steel Beams, Channels and Angles in our yards in Evansville, and do not have to depend upon rolling mills for shipments. Our steel beam yards are equipped with traveling cranes and special machinery for handling, cutting, punching, mitering and coping steel beams of 50 feet lengths and under. We are therefore in a position to quote low prices on any arrangement of beams, and to make prompt shipments and give our customers accurate and satisfactory work.

If you have architect's specifications, send bill of material, or plans, and we will name prices upon the steel beams required, and any other iron work, such as cast iron columns, sills, wrought iron work or galvanized iron cornices that may be needed.

In cases where owners or contractors are unable to determine the correct size of beams or girders required, send a description of the load to be supported, give length of beams required, and advise us distance between intermediate pier, or columns, if any, and we will name prices upon the most economical girder that can be used, of strength that we will guarantee.



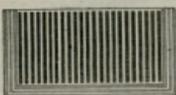
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Detail D. Cistern Cover. Air Grate.



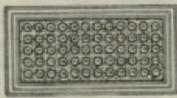
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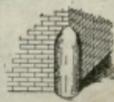
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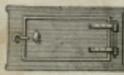
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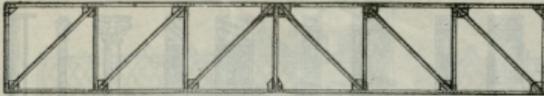


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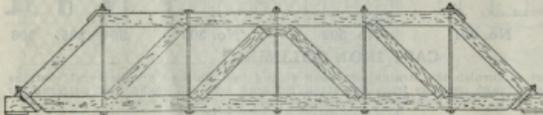
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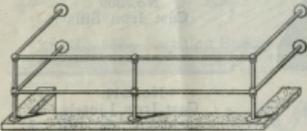
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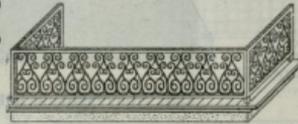
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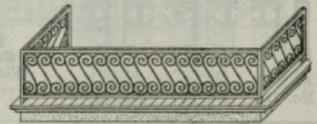
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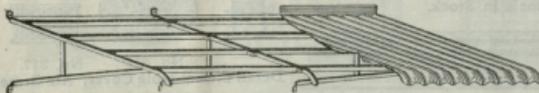
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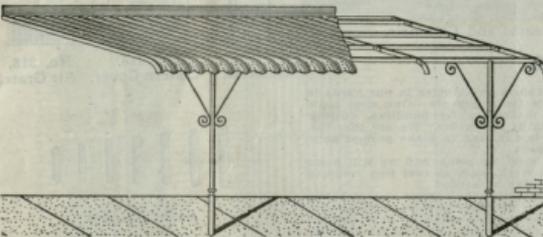
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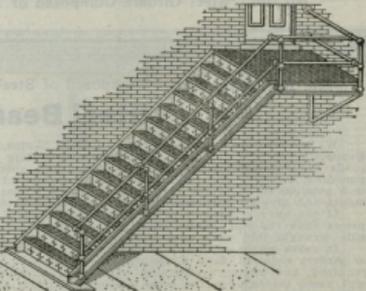
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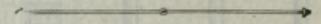
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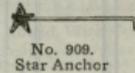
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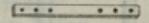
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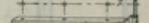
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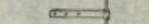
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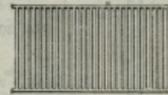
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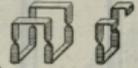
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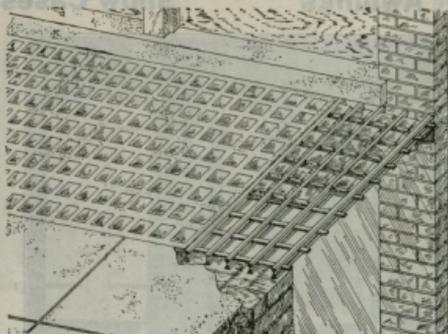


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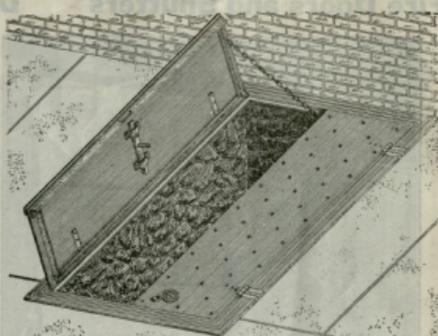
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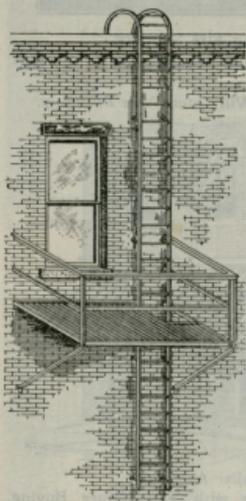
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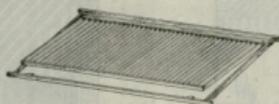
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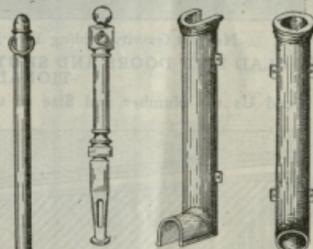
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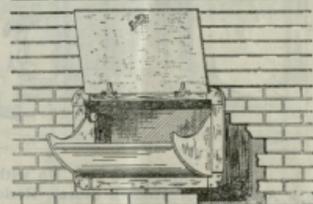
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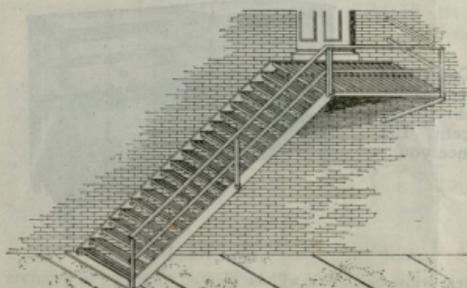
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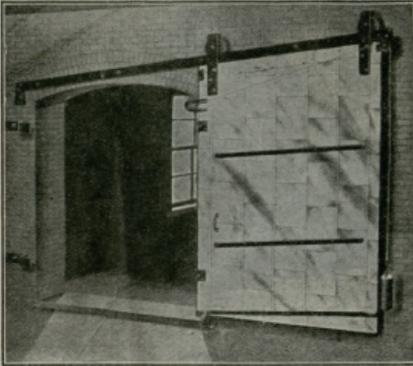
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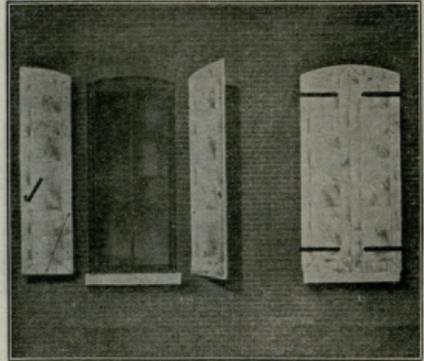
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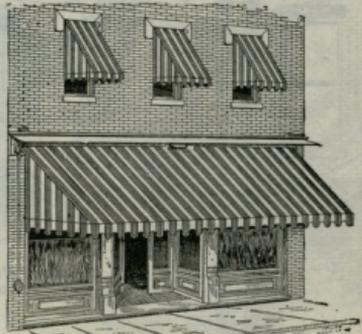
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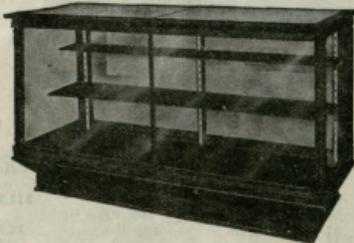
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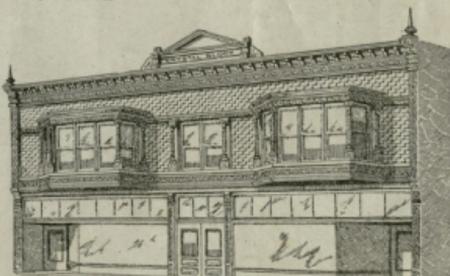
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